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EDINBURGH IS A THREE MAN POST IN THE MIDST OF A RECORD BREAKING WORKLOAD. WE ARE STRETCHED TO THE HILT WITH VISA APPLICANTS LINING THE SIDEWALK ON MOST DAYS. WHILE MINDFUL OF THE DEPARTMENT'S PREDICAMENT WE HAVE AN OBLIGATION TO PROVIDE CONSULAR SERVICES ON A TIMELY BASIS. CONSEQUENTLY I SEE NO WAY TO RELEASE RAPOPORT WITHOUT A REPLACEMENT ON THE VISA LINE UNTIL COB JULY 21. EVEN THEN HE WILL HAVE TO BE OUT OF OFFICE PREPARING FOR TRANSFER. RAPOPORT IS WILLING TO DEFER HOME LEAVE IN ORDER TO ASSIST DEPARTMENT. DIRECTOR GENERAL BARNES DEPARTED POST TODAY FOR LONDON AND HAS FIRST HAND KNOWLEDGE OF OUR PROBLEM. FINALLY REQUEST EXTENSION OUR ONE PIT FROM JULY 31 TO AUGUST 14.DOBBS

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